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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Michael Gauselmann  
Serial No: 09/491,779 Art Unit: 3711  
Filing Date: January 26, 2000  
Title: METHOD FOR OPERATING A COIN ACTUATED  
ENTERTAINMENT AUTOMAT  
Examiner: Dolores R. Collins

August 29, 2005

Attorney's Docket No.: ADP231AG

**AMENDMENT**  
(revised)

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

This is in response to a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) mailed on July 28, 2005, and setting a statutory period for response of one month to expire on August 28, 2005. Applicant petitions that, if required, the time for response be extended and the corresponding fee be charged. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Acct. No. 11-0224. Applicant further respectfully requests that this response be accepted as a bona fide effort to meet any potential response requirements outstanding and due in the above captioned matter.

Please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

**MARKED UP VERSION OF THE AMENDED CLAIMS**

**(Version with marking to show changes made)**